

The Rev. Lloyd C. Kallevig

November 14, 1923 - October 9, 2016

The funeral service for The Reverend Lloyd C. Kallevig of Wadena will be held at 11:00 a.m. on Thursday, October 13, at the Immanuel Lutheran Church in Wadena, with Pastors Nate Loer and Megan Clapp officiating. Visitation will be held at the Johnson-Schuller Chapel in Wadena on Wednesday from 5:00 until 7:00 p.m. and will resume at the church on Thursday from 9:30 a.m. until the time of service. Burial will be held at 11:00 a.m. on Friday, October 14, in East Hendricks Cemetery, Hendricks, MN, and will be followed by a time of fellowship and lunch with the family at Christ Lutheran Church, 104 E Henderson St.

The Reverend Lloyd C. Kallevig went home to be with our Lord on Sunday, October 9, 2016. He was at his home in Wadena, Minnesota, surrounded by his family. Lloyd was 92.

Lloyd was born and raised on a farm near Willmar, Minnesota, November 14, 1923, to Norwegian immigrant parents, Mathias Kallevig and Sina Emberland Kallevig. He had four brothers, Emil, Stanley, Orville, and Clifford, and two sisters, Gladys and Evangeline. While milking the cows, Lloyd and his brothers loved to sing together.

After graduation from Willmar High School, Lloyd continued to work the family farm for several years. But his calling and vocation was to share the good

news of Jesus Christ, so he went on to earn degrees from Augsburg College in 1952 and Augsburg Theological Seminary in 1954.

It was at Augsburg that he met his future wife, Eleanor Cotton Miller. He often said about Eleanor, "I saw what I liked, and I liked what I saw!" They were married on July 10, 1954, and Lloyd adopted Eleanor's five-year-old son, Daniel.

The young family moved to Mora, Minnesota, and served two churches for eight years, Calvary Lutheran Church in Mora, and Lake View Church, in Isle. While in Mora, five more children came along: Dale, Dean, David, Lois, and Laurie. Lloyd believed that after the scriptures, music was the most effective means of presenting the good news of Jesus Christ, and singing gospel songs became an integral part of his ministry.

In January 1962, the family moved to Hendricks, Minnesota, where Lloyd and Eleanor served for thirteen years in a three-church Lutheran parish, Calvary, Marble, and Hemnes. After a two year stint as chaplain at St. Luke's Lutheran Home in Blue Earth, Minnesota, Lloyd and Eleanor went on to serve at four more Lutheran churches: Trinity and West Lake Johanna, in Brooten (1977 - 1982), Red Oak Grove, near Austin (1982 - 1986), and Hill Avenue Grace (six months interim 1992 - 1993). It was at Hill Avenue Grace Lutheran that Lloyd recorded his old-time gospel album, I Sing of Thee, which included favorite songs from his ministry.

Lloyd and Eleanor retired from full time ministry in 1986, and moved back to the much-loved community of Hendricks. In 1993, the two moved to Wadena to be near their sons and their families.

After Eleanor's death in 2009, Lloyd had a second chance at love with Dori Hagen. The two had much in common, and Dori brought a smile to his face

and a sparkle to his eyes the rest of his days.

Throughout his life, many people were touched by Lloyd's kindness, gentle humor and compassion.

Lloyd was preceded in death by his parents, his son Dale, his siblings, and his wife, Eleanor. Besides many loving friends and family, Lloyd's immediate survivors are his dear friend Dori Hagen, five children, six grandchildren, and eight great-grandchildren. Son Dan & Linda Kallevig of Wadena, MN; Dan & Renee Kallevig, Katelyn, Josiah, and Mia; John & Lisa Kallevig, Elizabeth, Hannah, and Joshua, also part of the family are Randy & Ashlee Mumm, Claire and Luke; Christine & Malcolm Gold, Danielle and Michaela; son Dean & Jean Kallevig of Wadena, MN, and Elise; son David & Peggy Kallevig of Alexandria, MN, Candace and Mark; daughter Lois & Rick Courtright of Phoenix, AZ; and daughter Laurie Kallevig of Kolkata, India.

Cemetery Details

Hendricks Cemetery

Hendricks, MN

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT **12**. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Johnson-Schuller Chapel
205 4th Street Southwest
Wadena, MN 56482
(218) 631-3632

Visitation

OCT **13**. 9:30 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Immanuel Lutheran Church - Wadena
403 2nd St. SE
Wadena, MN 56482

Service

OCT **13**. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

Immanuel Lutheran Church - Wadena
403 2nd St. SE
Wadena, MN 56482

Graveside Service

OCT **14**. 11:00 AM - 11:30 AM (CT)

Hendricks Cemetery
Hendricks, MN

Tribute Wall



“ Schuller Family Funeral Homes created a Tribute Video in memory of The Rev. Lloyd C. Kallevig



Schuller Family Funeral Homes - October 12, 2016 at 09:00 AM

LK

a Very nice video , love to all

Letha Kinney. - October 13, 2016 at 12:52 AM

BB

I met Lloyd and Eleanor at Calvary church in Willmar several years ago. My parents (Leif and Margarete (Emberland) Fostervold used to meet up with Lloyd and Emil and their wives in the Alexandria area. They spoke very highly of Lloyd. Sympathy for your loss. Betty (Fostervold) Behm

Betty Behm - October 18, 2016 at 06:40 PM

DF

“ Denise Fowers lit a candle in memory of The Rev. Lloyd C. Kallevig



Denise Fowers - October 25, 2016 at 07:43 PM

KA

“ *All our love and sympathy for you, Dan & Linda, for your loss. May God comfort and give you peace during this time of sorrow. Kim & Don Andersen*

Kim & Don Andersen - October 18, 2016 at 12:36 PM

DF

“ *Denise Fowers lit a candle in memory of The Rev. Lloyd C. Kallevig*



Denise Fowers - October 13, 2016 at 10:10 PM

PL

“ *Pat Lorentz lit a candle in memory of The Rev. Lloyd C. Kallevig*



Pat Lorentz - October 13, 2016 at 08:52 PM

GW

“ *Glen Donna Wood lit a candle in memory of The Rev. Lloyd C. Kallevig*



Glen Donna Wood - October 13, 2016 at 05:54 PM

JK

“ Jonathan And Sherri Korfe lit a candle in memory of The Rev. Lloyd C. Kallevig



Jonathan and Sherri Korfe - October 12, 2016 at 09:54 PM

SB

“ Sharon Boline lit a candle in memory of The Rev. Lloyd C. Kallevig



Sharon Boline - October 12, 2016 at 06:32 AM

MS

“ Mike And Lea Snyder lit a candle in memory of The Rev. Lloyd C. Kallevig



Mike and Lea Snyder - October 11, 2016 at 10:06 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of The Rev. Lloyd C. Kallevig.



October 11, 2016 at 09:52 PM

GD

“ George&Julie Deiss lit a candle in memory of
The Rev. Lloyd C. Kallevig



George&Julie Deiss - October 11, 2016 at 09:08 PM

NW

“ This makes me sad, but we know where he is, and that's the best
part of anyones' life. Thank you to the Kallevig family for allowing
me to be part of his (and yours!) life for a short time. I loved to sing
and play guitar and piano for him. Also, the ukulele lessons were
awesome. I love this family, and my prayers to you. Hugs and love.
Nicole W.

Nicole W - October 11, 2016 at 09:03 PM

GD

“ George&Julie Deiss lit a candle in memory of
The Rev. Lloyd C. Kallevig



George&Julie Deiss - October 11, 2016 at 09:02 PM

DF

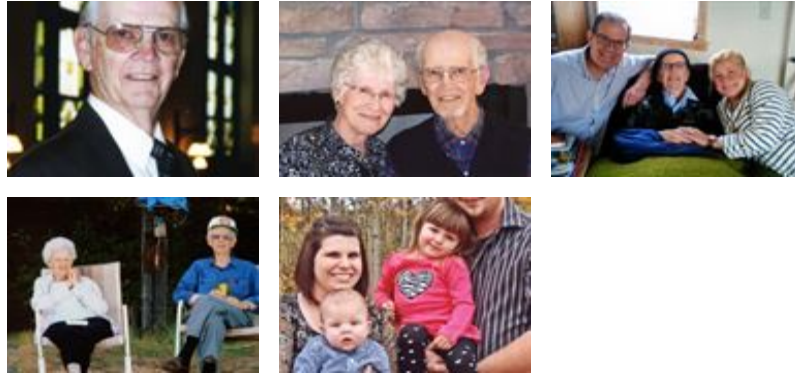
“ So very sorry for your great loss.



Denise Fowers - October 11, 2016 at 08:49 PM



“ 46 files added to the album Life Tributes



Schuller Family Funeral Homes - October 11, 2016 at 06:52 PM

TK

“ I remember as a teen Lloyd singing the 'Lord's Prayer' at Mathias' funeral (His dad, my grandpa). I thought the roof was going to come off the church because his voice was so powerful. I have remembered that vividly to this day and I will always have that memory of Lloyd. A great man and a wonderful uncle to me.

Tom Kallevig - October 11, 2016 at 06:40 PM

EK

“ Edna, Gayle and Gayla Kallevig purchased the Strength & Solace Spray for the family of The Rev. Lloyd C. Kallevig.



Edna, Gayle and Gayla Kallevig - October 11, 2016 at 03:53 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of The Rev. Lloyd C. Kallevig.*



October 11, 2016 at 03:00 PM



“ *Your dad was a good man, who adored Eleanor and each of you. His voice and musical talents will remain in many memories. He was a shining star of his faith. May each of you know that much love is sent your way during this time and every day.*
The Bernice & Elmer Nelson Family

Sandi Kimmet - October 11, 2016 at 09:34 AM



“ *My sympathy to the family. Your dad was an awesome man. I loved his beautiful voice and his mild manor.*

gail johnson - October 11, 2016 at 09:11 AM



“ *Dan And Dee Skogen lit a candle in memory of The Rev. Lloyd C. Kallevig*



Dan and Dee Skogen - October 11, 2016 at 08:50 AM

BG

“ *Bob & Donna Grendahl lit a candle in memory of The Rev. Lloyd C. Kallevig*



Bob & Donna Grendahl - October 10, 2016 at 10:12 PM

JR

“ *Jim And Valerie Ramnes lit a candle in memory of The Rev. Lloyd C. Kallevig*



Jim and Valerie Ramnes - October 10, 2016 at 08:45 PM

DO

“ *Doug And Joan Ostlund lit a candle in memory of The Rev. Lloyd C. Kallevig*



Doug and Joan Ostlund - October 10, 2016 at 08:24 PM

DM

“ *Dale & Liz Miller lit a candle in memory of The Rev. Lloyd C. Kallevig*



Dale & Liz Miller - October 10, 2016 at 07:09 PM

TK

“ Your family is very much in my heart, my thoughts and prayers! Our family simply adored both your dad and mom. The boys truly respected and appreciated them. I can just hear Lloyd's high tenor and Craig's deep bass voice in the Heavenly choir now!
Love,
Tammie Klawitter and family

Tammie Klawitter - October 10, 2016 at 05:03 PM

TK

“ Tammie Klawitter sent a virtual gift in memory of The Rev. Lloyd C. Kallevig



Tammie Klawitter - October 10, 2016 at 04:56 PM

TK

“ Tammie Klawitter lit a candle in memory of The Rev. Lloyd C. Kallevig



Tammie Klawitter - October 10, 2016 at 04:55 PM



“ Jane Erckenbrack lit a candle in memory of The Rev. Lloyd C. Kallevig



Jane Erckenbrack - October 10, 2016 at 01:48 PM

MW

“ *Myron & Karen Winkelman lit a candle in memory of The Rev. Lloyd C. Kallevig*



Myron & Karen Winkelman - October 10, 2016 at 11:28 AM